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## A Sunday Hymn

Lord of all being, throned afar,  
Thy glory flames from sun and star;  
Center and soul of every sphere,  
Yet to each loving heart how near!

Sun of my life, thy quick'ning ray  
Sheds on our path the glow of day;  
Star of our hope, thy softened light  
Cheers the long watches of the night.

Our midnight is thy smile withdrawn,  
Our noontide is thy gracious dawn.  
Our rainbow arch thy mercy sign;  
All, save the clouds of sin, are thine!

Lord of all life, below, above,  
Whose life is truth, whose warmth is love,  
Before thy ever blazing throne  
Weak no lustre of our own

Grant us thy truth to make us free,  
And kindling hearts that burn for thee,  
Till all thy living altars claim  
One holy light, one heavenly flame!  
—Oliver Wendell Holmes.

## Ned Manning, Private

"Our next business," announced Ned Manning, is the election of our president for the new year. Will Fred and George act as tellers?"

He sat back in his chair while the voting blanks were distributed, planning what he would do for the Junior Missionary society in the coming months. He had been president for two years now, and he had been told by all from the minister down to the youngest member how much he had done to build up the society. He would do even more this year. He hoped that John Tracy would go in as vice-president, for he was a good chap and Ned was sure he could teach him a great deal.

The votes were taken and counted and the results laid on the president's table. Ned tried to look carelessly modest as he picked up the paper to announce his own election.

"Your president for the new year," he began, stopped and went on, "will be John Tracy." He looked over the meeting and smiled bravely. "I know I can speak for the society in giving him a warm welcome and promising hearty support. The next business before the meeting is the election of a vice-president. I should like to say here that I hope my name will not come up for an office as I expect to be out of town for several months."

"If he can't be president he won't be anything," he heard Frank Carter whisper as he took his blank.

The blood ran up into Ned's face, but he sat quietly through the rest of the meeting and dismissed it at its conclusion. He was the first to shake hands with the new president.

"I don't know what they put me in for," protested John. "I can't begin to be as good a president as you. Where are you going, Ned?"

"Up to my aunt's. Grandfather's going away and she wants me to stay with her."

"But you'll get behind in school." "Oh, no; she's the best tutor ever. I'll be way ahead of the rest of you kids."

"Why didn't you tell us before that you were going away?"

Ned looked a little embarrassed. "Why, you see, as long as I was president I didn't think it was square to leave, but now I can go all right. I've got to go home. So long."

Ned, who was usually the center of a noisy throng, slipped out of the side door and trudged home alone. His feelings were sore and not in the mood for chaffing.

"You're home early," his mother said, as he came into the living room.

"John Tracy's president for next year," Ned announced, dropping into a chair. "I'm going to aunt Mary's, mother."

Mr. Manning looked at his son over the top of his paper, but he did not speak. Mrs. Manning laid down her book.

"You are not in any office?" "No. I didn't want to be anything else after they had chucked me out of being president like that. It was a sneaky thing to do, seems to me, after the way I've worked for the society. It was Frank Carter did it, of course; he's jealous; anybody can pull an election if he works hard enough. John's all right; he'll do all right after he gets to work. But I had such a lot of things planned for this year."

"Can't you tell them to John and let him carry them off?"

"Let John steal my thunder!" exclaimed Ned. "I guess not. If the society doesn't want me it can get along by itself. I'm going to Aunt Mary's."

"She'll be glad to have you," agreed his mother, "and I think you'll enjoy your visit. I'm sorry about the election."

"Oh, that's all right," said Ned, coming to his feet. "I'm going to bed. Good night, mother."

Her kiss and smile were comforting. Ned went to say good night to his father. Mr. Manning laid down his paper and held out his hand to his son with a smile.

"I'm sorry they've ousted you, my boy, for I think you made a first class president. But a man with the right stuff in him knows how to take reverses as well as successes, and you've got the right stuff."

"Thank you, father," Ned said, flushing. His father's words had taken some of the sting out of the rebuff.

"Don't think of yourself," went on Mr. Manning; "think of the society. Every organization needs twenty privates to one officer, and its success depends quite as much on the loyalty of the privates as on the skill of the officers; you'll get a good deal out of it, and so will the society."

Mr. Manning picked up his paper again. "Sometimes when a man has his own way too long he gets to carrying things with too high a hand; it really hampers the organization. Get in new material and stand ready to help whenever you can; that's the way to stretch and grow."

"I suppose so," yielded Ned; "but it isn't easy to be chucked." Mr. Manning laughed. "No, it isn't; but don't carry a grudge. You'll have a chance to shake down at Aunt Mary's and see what comes up on top. I know it will be good, for I know my boy."

Ned went to his aunt's the next week and he stayed three months, for his grandfather's trip proved to be a long one. He thought a good deal about his father's words; he wanted to deserve his father's good opinion; but he could not lose entirely his sense of injury. What the boys wrote him of the society was something of a solace. John said he had never imagined the responsibility of the position of president. Fred protested that the meetings hadn't had their old vigor. George demanded when Ned was coming back.

"I'm chairman of the program committee," he wrote, "and I can't think of anything to do. I've only got Myra Smith on it and Frank and a new kid named Jamie Lewis. He thinks he's the whole show, but he can't flash out any more original ideas than the rest of us can. Wire your grandfather that it's time to come back and you come on home. We need you in our business."

Grandfather did return very soon after that and Ned went home. He was pretty glad to get his arms around his mother again and to look into his father's quizzical eyes. Before he had been in the house an hour John telephoned him.

"Hello, Ned! Glad you're back. You're coming to the junior missionary to-night aren't you?"

Ned wanted to say no; it would be easier to postpone a week taking his place in the ranks. But his father caught his eye and smiled, and Ned said yes.

The arrival of his trunk delayed him, and he was a little late at the meeting. He slipped into a vacant seat and looked to see who was beside him; it was evidently the "new kid," James Lewis.

John was leading the meeting and gave out the hymns as Ned sat down. "What a chestnut of a hymn," Ned said to himself. "I could make a better choice than that anyhow."

Jamie Lewis offered half his hymn book and all the other courtesies of the occasion. Ned received them carelessly; he was busy watching for things to go wrong.

"Why don't John learn what he wants to say," he thought, "so he won't fall all over himself when he gets up to speak? I can't see that the society has bettered itself much."

When the meeting was over, Ned stood still, and, before any of his friends could reach him, Jamie

Lewis stretched out his hand in friendly greeting.

"I'm glad to see you here," he said. "I hope you enjoyed the meeting and will come again."

Ned looked at him a minute in cold disdain. What was this fresh kid doing? Then as he understood, his sense of humor bowed over his haughtiness. The new boy was welcoming as a stranger Ned Manning, the star of the junior missionary society. Ned grinned in genuine amusement and shook hands with Jamie.

"Thank you," he answered. "Maybe I'll look in occasionally," and then he was overwhelmed by an avalanche of friends eager to welcome him home.

More than once through the next week Ned remembered Jamie's invitation and laughed at it. He told it to John, who told it to George, and they both thought it the joke of the season.

"He never had seen you before," explained George, "and you sat just like a bump on a log as any stranger might. Wake up and show him what you can do, Ned."

The week's contact with the boys rubbed away some of the soreness of Ned's feelings and when the next meeting came he was ready to do his part. George spoke after him and John and Fred.

What good chaps they all were, and what a fine junior missionary society they had. Jamie must think it was corking. With a sudden warmth of feeling Ned looked about him.

"Suppose I was a stranger here, like Jamie," he said to himself. "I wouldn't find anything to kick at. I'd think it was just about the best junior missionary society I'd ever seen, and I'd be proud to belong to it and keep to get to work. I wouldn't rest until I knew I was doing my part somehow. I wouldn't care much now. I'd be glad to be asked to do anything."

Instead of seeing through the eyes of a deposed king, Ned looked about him as a stranger in the country. He did find very little to criticize, and he fully appreciated for the first time all the society stood for; its earnestness, its brotherhood, its loyalty.

He did not bear all that was said in the rest of the meeting; he was too busy with his own thoughts, fitting his new vision into his father's words, spoken three months ago. They meant something to him now. He had got where he was willing to put the society's growth before his own hurt feelings.

His attention was caught when John rose again. "Before we adjourn," he said, "I want to say that we need one more on the program committee. It isn't an easy place, for it means a lot of work and not much thanks, but it really is a very important part of our work. Will anyone volunteer?"

George poked his elbow into Ned. "Come on," he whispered; "you're just the one for the place."

Ned hesitated a moment and then came to his feet. He flushed a little, but he spoke earnestly.

"I'm willing to go on that committee or anywhere else the president wants to put me. I missed this society when I was away, and since I have come back I appreciate more than ever what it stands for. Whatever it wants of me I'm ready to do," he added with decision.

The meeting adjourned. George threw his arm around Ned. "You've saved my life. Let's have a committee meeting right away."

"Come on home with me then," laughed Ned. "Come on, Jamie; get the others."

The committee trooped together into the Manning living room.

"What's this avalanche?" demanded Mr. Manning with a smile. "It's just the program committee of the junior missionary society," answered Ned. George is chairman. We're going to have it the finest old committee that the society ever invented."

"You can have the dining room for your committee," said Mrs. Manning, and the boys and girls flowed into the other room. Ned lingered to get pad and pencil.

His father put down his paper and crossed the room. "I want to shake hands," he said, "with Private Ned Manning. I'm proud to be his father."—The Youth's World.

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To the humblest and the weakest  
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That wrong is also done to us,  
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THE attitude of the War Department towards the deaf who are anxious to be on the firing line or close to it, if a conflict should arise, is expressed in the following excerpt from a letter to Prof. Ignatius Bjorlee of the New York Institution, by Wm. M. Ingraham, Acting Secretary of War:—

The many patriotic offers of assistance which have been received in this Department during the past few weeks, are a source of great satisfaction, and while only those persons who are physically fit can enlist in the Army, deaf men, therefore, being precluded from enlistment, the spirit of patriotism shown in your letter, and the offers of service, coming as they do at a time of national stress, have especially appealed to me and are very much prized. Should the crisis become more acute, their would be an untold amount of work to be done by all loyal citizens of our country, and those to whom you refer would doubtless be valuable in civilian capacities. I thank you most heartily for your letter, and I assure you that the matter will be recorded in this Department so that advantage can be taken thereof if the need should arise."

Prof. Bjorlee wrote a letter of inquiry to the War Department to discover if the deaf would be eligible as soldiers if they possessed every qualification except the sense of hearing. Prof. Bjorlee knows the deaf can be made experts in drilling, marching and the various military maneuvers and formations, as he has been an eyewitness of the accomplishments of the cadets who have gone through the Military Drill course at Fanwood. He has seen fifty or one hundred boys marching and drilling as a unit, and knows the value of the unison and cumulative force which these soldier boys daily exemplify on the parade ground.

Many of the deaf young men throughout the country are eager to help in the defense of their homes and their native land. But deafness appears to frustrate their patriotic efforts, and it seems that only the most dire necessity will cause the bars to drop for them.

In another column will be found a list of hotels and rates, for the week of the National Association Convention at Hartford, Ct., presented by the chairman of the Local Committee, Mr. Walter G. Durian. The prices are probably for rooms only, though the committee does not say so.

In the absence of anything to the contrary, we must infer that the delegates are expected to make their reservations direct with the hotels they may favor. It is advisable to do this without any great delay.

Those who prefer cheaper and quieter places, for board and lodging with private families, should write to Principal Wheeler, School for the Deaf, Hartford, Ct.

Next week we will try to get the railroad schedule, from Chicago east, ready for publication. Our idea is

to arrange the date so that the Teachers' Association can make the trip to Hartford direct, or via New York. The National Association can drop off for four or five days sight-seeing in New York and take any train to Hartford at no extra expense.

## A SUGGESTION.

THE CENTENNIAL OF AMERICAN, DEAF-MUTE INDEPENDENCE.

POSSUM CORNERS, March 12, 1917.

EDITOR JOURNAL:—On the third of July, 1776, there was no nation on the whole American continent. From Bering Strait to Cape Horn, there was not an empire, kingdom or republic of the white race with its own ruler. There were many colonies or dependencies belonging to Great Britain, France, Spain, Portugal and other European countries. But there was not one independent nation in the whole western half of the world.

But on the next day, on the fourth of July, there was born on this continent a new nation conceived in liberty and dedicated to the proposition that all men are created equal.

On that day fifty-six men, representing thirteen different colonies belonging to the king of England, wrote their names at the bottom of a declaration containing about sixteen hundred English words. No other sixteen hundred English words, I firmly believe, have ever meant so much to the human race.

The fifty-six men who signed this Declaration of Independence were as brave as any of the men who died at Bunker Hill or suffered at Valley Forge. They had become traitors to their Lord and King. As one of them, Dr. Benjamin Franklin, said to them, they would all have to hang together or they would all hang separately. They all lived stormy, troubled lives, until their cause was won.

Their land was but a barren strip, Black with the strife that made it free; They lived to see its banners dip Their fringes in the western sea.

The nation born on this Fourth of July, 1776, is now the greatest in the world. Its people are the happiest and most prosperous. It is therefore perfectly right that the Fourth of July should be celebrated from year to year as the greatest day in all our history.

When the hundredth anniversary, July Fourth, 1876, came, I believe this centennial birthday was celebrated with more rejoicing and preparation than any other Fourth of July before or since.

On the fourteenth of April, 1817, there was not one public school for the deaf in the United States.

In the two hundred years from Jamestown and Plymouth Rock to this fourteenth of April, 1817, there were many thousands of American deaf-mutes, but of all these thousands not more than a dozen had received an "education." Many of these deaf-mutes were sent to almshouses. Their people did not want them. Some were kept in insane asylums. Some were given away as bond-servants for their board and clothes. The rest were kept at home. They were slaves to the family-bewers of wood and drawers of water. We may suppose they were given enough to eat and clothes to hide their nakedness or keep them warm. Perhaps their keeper, whether parent or master, was kind to them as something better than his dog, something dearer than his horse. Perhaps not.

But on the fifteenth of April, 1817, there was opened at Hartford the first public school for the deaf on the American continent. It was called an *asylum* for the deaf. But it was first and above everything else a SCHOOL. It was conceived in the broadest spirit of humanity and dedicated to the proposition that the deaf can be EDUCATED. Its founders were as brave and patriotic in their way as were the fifty-six men who founded the United States of America.

This pioneer school was quickly followed by other schools. Now there are 157 schools for the deaf in the United States, where nearly fifteen thousand boys and girls are receiving an education. To withhold an education from a deaf child, because it happens to be deaf, is now a crime.

My guess is that in these one hundred years from 1817 to 1917, probably one hundred thousand deaf men and women have been made into educated, useful people, rather than the outcasts of before 1817. There are about 60,000 now living, as contented and happy and useful as probably any other unit of 60,000 in our hundred million population. I fully believe, that as the United States is the greatest and happiest country on earth, in the same manner the American deaf are happier and more prosperous than the deaf of any other country.

And as the Fourth of July, 1776, is to the American nation, the Fifteenth of April, 1817, is to the American deaf. It was the beginning of their mental and spiritual and material independence.

The coming fifteenth of April is the centennial anniversary of this independence.

I would respectfully suggest that

the deaf everywhere celebrate this day. It happens to be a Sunday. If they meet in their churches, let it be a service of thanksgiving and rejoicing. If there are Frats, clubs or local societies meeting on Saturday, the fourteenth, let them remember the day in their speeches and exercises. In every school for the deaf, Trojan or Tyrian, manual, Combined, or pure-oral, there should be a special program in the chapel. For myself, as there is no club or society in Possum Corners, I shall ask my deaf friends to meet at my house to help celebrate the day.

For it must be regarded as really and truly the greatest day in the history of the American deaf.

Respectfully,  
MASANIELLO.

## Hartford Convention

DEAR EDITOR:—Will you kindly publish the following in regard to the coming convention of the National Association of the Deaf?

The National Association of the Deaf will be in session from July 3d to 7th.

## LIST OF HOTELS.

Hotel Bond, 320 Asylum Avenue. Single rooms with bath, \$2.00, \$2.50 and up. Double rooms with bath, \$3.00, \$3.50 and up.

Hotel Bond Annex, corner High and Church Streets. Single rooms without bath, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50 and up. Double rooms without bath, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50 and up.

Allyn House, 162 Asylum Street. Single rooms, \$1.50 and up. Double rooms, \$3.00 and up.

Heublin Hotel, 98 Wells Street. Double rooms, \$3.00 and up.

Hotel Garde, 356 Asylum Street. Single rooms \$1.00 and up. Double rooms, \$2.00 and up.

New Dom Hotel, Church and Trumbull Streets. Single rooms, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00. Double rooms, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$3.00. [This is only for men.]

These hotels are east, within three blocks from the railroad station and the Hartford School is two blocks west from this station.

The Allyn House will be the official headquarters.

Any of those wishing rooms in boarding houses or private families will please write to Principal Wheeler, American School for the Deaf.

The meetings will be held in the High School Auditorium on Broad Street, one block from the Hartford School. It is capable of seating 1300.

On July 4th the Centennial Celebration of the Hartford School will take place. In the morning addresses will be given by Prof. Henry A. Perkins, President of the Board of Directors of the Hartford School; Dr. Edward A. Fay, for the teacher's Association; and Mr. Edwin A. Hodgson, for the National Association of the Deaf. Dr. E. M. Gallaudet will be invited to speak.

In the afternoon the crowning exercises of the monuments of Gallaudet and Clerc will take place.

Professor John B. Hotchkiss will read extracts from Laurent Clerc's address which was delivered by him at the dedication of the Gallaudet Monument. Then William L. Hill will deliver an oration. These exercises will inspire you to think that if Gallaudet and Clerc were endowed with life, they would behold the fruitage of their labors and hear the addresses born of the spirit that animated them and of the work that continued after they rested from their labors.

After this, arrangements will be made to have special cars to bring you to Cedar Hill Cemetery, where the grave of Gallaudet is, and there pay a tribute to the man who has dedicated his life to the advancement of the deaf into the Independent and Educated World.

In the evening a pageant will be given.

Whatever tribulations we may pass through during the year—and what family is there that does not have its troubles?—there is one happy week in Hartford from July 3d to 7th. Remember this! Be sure to come and Hartford will appreciate your visit.

W. G. DURIAN,  
Chairman N. A. D. Local Com.

## Notice to Fanwood Alumni.

The committee appointed at the dinner in honor of the fortieth anniversary of Principal Currier, met in the Institution library last Saturday evening and arranged the preliminaries for the organization for the graduates of "Fanwood." Another meeting of the committee, to pass on the draft of the Constitution and By-Laws will be held on Saturday evening, April 7th, when the date of the first assembly of all those interested will be decided on. The Institution Chapel, on a Saturday evening was decided on as the place and time, but the date is to be announced. Principal Currier gave the committee great encouragement, and takes pride in the formation of an Alumni Association just in time to have it take part in the Centennial of the New York Institution.

THOMAS F. FOX, '79, Chairman pro tem.  
ALEXANDER L. PACH, '82, Sec. pro tem.

JOHN FRANCIS O'BRIEN, '80.  
JOHN HENRY KEISER, '80  
LOUIS A. COHEN, '80

Mrs. Collins C. Colby, of Detroit, Mich., is seriously ill, her daughter Ruth, is suffering an attack of nervous prostration, and Violet, the youngest, is at the city hospital threatened with scarlet fever.

## PHILADELPHIA.

News items for this column should be sent to James S. Reider, 1538 North Dove Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

About one hundred fifty persons attended the dramatic entertainment at All Souls' Parish House, last Saturday evening, 24th of March. "Ruth," a mystery play, was given. The stage scenery was inspiring, the costumes of the different characters were prepared by the Ladies' Parish Aid Society, and were not only appropriate but beautiful and the acting, the most difficult thing, was most creditable. Indeed, quite a number of the older deaf ventured to remark that it was the best show of the kind that has so far been given in the new Parish House, and that is saying a great deal. Mr. Arthur H. Enger, as Boaz; Mrs. M. J. Syle, as Naomi; and Miss Esther Rappaport, as Ruth, stood out as the principal characters, and the length of their parts subjected each of them to a test of memory in which they acquitted themselves remarkably well. The other characters represented were Orpha by Mrs. King; Rachel by Mrs. Sanders; Kinsman by Mr. Fowler; Priests by Messrs. Lipsett and Sanders; Jokan by Mr. Marchman; Miriam by Mr. Rodgers; Tapheth by Miss Purvis; Helah by Miss Price; and other minor characters by Misses Kendall and Mock, and Messrs. Stevens and Ormrod, and these deserve equal praise for the success of the play.

The proceeds of this play, after deducting expenses, will be devoted entirely to the Missions. All Souls' Church has been apportioned something over \$80 for Missions this year, and there is no disposition to shirk its responsibility, if it can be helped. Not only the people, but the Pastor also is trying to make it good, for it was Rev. Mr. Danizer who led the players to success behind the curtain.

The Rev. O. J. Whildin, of Baltimore, Md., came up to see the play of Ruth on Saturday evening, returning home the following morning. Miss Olive Whildin preceded her father here on Friday and is stopping with Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Danizer.

Mr. John B. O'Rourke, of Haverhill, Mass., was also a week end visitor and took in the play on Saturday evening. He will remain here a few days before going home.

The annual election of officers of the Clerc Literary Association took place after the Lenten service last Thursday evening, March 22d. Rev. Mr. Danizer, by virtue of his office as ex-officio Chairman, presided. He re-appointed Mr. William McKinney the Trustee of the Association. The Association then elected the officers, as follows: President, Arthur Fowler (re-elected); First Vice-President, Irby H. Marchman; Second Vice-President, Andrew Leitch; Secretary, Harry E. Stevens (re-elected); Treasurer, Harry G. Gunkel (re-elected); Librarian, Mr. C. O. Danizer; Sergeant-at-Arms, James L. Patterson. Under a suspension of the rules, the officers were installed the same evening.

Mr. J. E. Donnelly, Supreme Knight, Knights of De l'Epee, visited the Philadelphia Council on March 18th last.

Mr. Harry Shapiro, who was confined in a hospital with a severe attack of La Grippe, has since gone to Dover, Delaware, to recuperate.

Mrs. J. S. Reider left the city early last Saturday morning for York township, to attend her aged mother, who is suffering with a fractured hip, the results of a fall. We are pleased to report that the condition of Mr. Patrick O'Brien, whom we reported suffering with a stroke of paralysis, a week ago, is growing favorable. The attack was apparently a slight one.

Messrs. R. E. Underwood and John A. Roach were both ill last week, but they are about again.

Recently Mr. Charles J. Handwerker, of Saegerville, Pa., left for Akron, Ohio, to work for the Good-year Rubber Company, but illness overtook him, so that he was obliged to return home.

Rev. C. O. Danizer held services in Doylestown, Pa., and Trenton, New Jersey, last Sunday, March 25th. Mr. Arthur H. Enger accompanied him to both places.

The father of Mrs. Erhard D. Strecker died at Miami, Florida, on March 17th. His remains were brought to this city and interred last Sunday. Mrs. Strecker has the sympathy of a large number of friends.

On March 15th last, Mr. Michael D. Barnitz, of York, Pa., who is well and favorably known to the deaf of Pennsylvania, attended a testimonial banquet given to John Strickler, the veteran President of the Vigilant Fire Company. The banquet was attended by most of the leading citizens of York. In responding to the toast "Loyalty," Hon. Edward E. Beidleman mentioned the names of some men who have been members of the Vigilant Fire Company for a number of years, and among them we note that Mr. Barnitz was a member for forty-eight years. Mr. Barnitz was accompanied to the banquet by his faithful caretakers, Mr. H. Samuel Hays and Mr. John W. Mumma. No doubt Mr. Barnitz enjoyed the occasion and the "eats."

Mrs. Russel M. A. Smith has offered to give courses of Mission Study to the Bible Class at All Souls' Church for the Deaf every Sunday for a while. She was to begin last Sunday, but, owing to the great demand for the necessary literature, she was unable to procure books, but hopes to have them by next Sunday. Mrs. Smith is deeply interested in Mission Study, and, being the daughter of deaf-mute parents, is conversant with the sign-language and will undoubtedly be able to make the study interesting to the deaf.

A girl baby was born to Mr. and Mrs. Chandler Paul on March 19th. Mr. Paul is the younger son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Paul. The girl will be named Gladys May.

Mr. Robert T. Young, of Sellersville, and Mr. John Allen, of Gwynedd Valley, Pa., were Sunday visitors at All Souls'.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer E. Scott visited Baltimore Md., on Sunday, March 25th.

Mr. William H. Lipsett's vigilant Fox-terrier has thrice saved their home from burglary.

## ONTARIO CANADA.

## TORONTO

We are sorry for Miss Nellie Shepherd, sister of Mr. A. C. Shepherd, who met with a serious misfortune on March 5th. While crossing the street at the intersection of College and Spadina, she accidentally fell on the icy roadway and broke her leg immediately below her right hip, but she is now improving nicely, but will have to forsake her duties for a few weeks. Miss Shepherd is a valuable teacher in the Queen Alexandria school, on Broadway Ave., and has been in the teaching profession for upwards of 25 years.

We hear that our old friends, Mrs. N. Moore and Mrs. Mabel Wilson, who went to Philadelphia and other parts South last fall for the winter, were among the tens of thousands, who witnessed the recent inauguration of President Woodrow Wilson in Washington, and say it was worth going to see.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Roberts entertained a large number of their relatives and friends now living in city to a reception on March 12th, in honor of the bride and groom, Mr. and Mrs. Ben. Johnson, who spent a few days of their honeymoon here. A very pleasant evening was had by all. Mrs. Johnson was formerly Miss E. Pearl Roberts, youngest sister of Mr. H. W. Roberts, and they were married by her youngest brother.

A little boy was born lately to a sister of Mr. Ellsworth Bowman. Her husband has returned from the war zone, where he was wounded, and is now an instructor in Musketry at Exhibition Camp. Congratulations.

We are pleased to hear that our old friend, Mr. George A. Dickson, of Fraserburg, is doing so well. He has finished hauling his fire-wood, logs and tan-bark, and a good deal of it too. As regards fuel shortage for the fire, George has no cause for worry, while we here are at the mercy of the Coal Barons. Mrs. Dickson's brother, Henry, and his wife have just gone to live in Saskatchewan. Mr. Dickson would like a young man to help him on his farm and in the bush for this Spring and Summer. So here is a good chance for a good steady job for any one. Apply to George A. Dickson, Fraserburg, Ont.

Mr. George W. Reeves went to Brantford, on March 10th, for a few hours' business, afterwards proceeding to Woodstock, where he held service for our deaf friends of that city that evening, and had a good meeting in spite of the thunderstorm that was raging that evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McKenzie drove in from New Durham, a distance of fifteen miles, to attend the meeting. Next day Mr. Reeves went on to London for the same purpose, and here another large gathering greeted him.

It has just transpired that our young friend, Miss Sadie Boughton, the intelligent and only daughter of Mrs. Boughton, of this City, was quietly married on February 14th, to Mr. William Lozett, of Morewood, at the home of Mrs. Boughton's niece, Mrs. Roy Annable, in Winchester. We wish for Mr. and Mrs. Lozett a happy and married life. Mrs. Boughton's son, Willie, is now a member of the one hundred and eighth Battalion, and will soon leave here for overseas service. His wife and little child are now living with Mrs. Boughton on Brook Avenue.

Mr. R. S. Edwards gave a very pleasant surprise party for his mother, in honor of her birthday, on March 13th, and to wit, it was a complete success, both as regards his mother's surprise and the delightful time all had. A few were unable to come for various reasons, so they missed a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. Orvy Henisinger, the latter a sister of Miss Myrtle Bois, of Knoxville, Pa., called on Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Law, on March 11th, for tea. Mr. Henisinger is now working at the Russell Motor Car Co. Mrs. Law was formerly the pretty Miss Belle Russell and a graduate of the Mount Airy School. The Knitting Circle met on March 15th, at the large and beautiful

home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lightfoot, on Awde St., and there were almost forty there. The Knitting Circle are doing good work for our brave boys on the battle-line. The circle meets each alternate Thursday at the various homes of the members, under the leadership of Mrs. J. R. Byrne, at whose home it meets each other Thursday, thus it meets every week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lightfoot are the parents of our late beloved friend, Mr. Willie Lightfoot, who died over four years ago, and are greatly esteemed by the Deaf everywhere. They entertained the Circle in a very pleasant way. The Lightfoots are very popular.

The officers of the Ontario Association of the Deaf are getting busy now to see whether we will hold our convention this year or not. It was postponed last year on account of the war. The executive officers met at the home of the president, Mr. George W. Reeves here, on March 16th, with the Secretary, Mr. Wm. Nurse, of Belleville, and the Treasurer, Mr. Chas. A. Ryan, of Woodstock, in attendance, and a general meeting was called to meet at the home of the Second Vice-President, Mr. H. W. Roberts, the following evening. The results of the meetings will be announced later. Mr. Nurse took the platform at our Services on Sunday, March 18th, and gave a very nice and profitable address to a crowded meeting.

Mr. F. Bridgen, our honored Superintendent, is progressing most favorably towards recovery and we hope he will be out before Easter.

Our Bible Conference will meet this year on April 6th, 7th, and 8th, at the Bible Training School here and we look for a good attendance although there will be no reduced fares on the railroads this time.

## AURORA.

Mr. Francis A. West frequently goes to Toronto for the Sunday services and visits old friends. He says he usually enjoys a good time.

We were sorry for our friend, Mr. Eli Corbieri, who has been laid up with a severe case of the gripe and fever, but under the good care of his doctor and nurse, he is almost himself again. He has a devoted wife and a most comfortable home, at which many Sunday meetings are often held.

Mr. Frank E. Harris, of Toronto, who was to have held gospel meetings here on March 11th, was obliged to postpone his visit until a later date, because of the serious illness of Mr. Eli Corbieri, but we look for him at a later date.

Mr. John McKenzie, father of Mr. Herbert McKenzie, who has been laid up for some time past suffering from a serious attack of pneumonia and heart trouble, is now progressing nicely towards recovery. Herbert and his wife have been untiring in their duties towards his comfort and wants. He may have to remain inside for some weeks yet. He is well known to many of the Deaf.

## LONDON.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. White, of Strathroy, spent March 11th and 12th with Mr. and Mrs. George McDonald, of this city, while on their way to visit relatives in St. Thomas.

Mrs. Dolly Frank, of Strathroy, was in this city lately, while on her way home after a three months' pleasant visit with her daughter in Hamilton.

Count Zeppelin's death was the signal for much joy for the mothers of the babies killed in England. He gets what he did to others.

Mr. and Mrs. Jontie Henderson and son, Gordon, of Talbotville, spent Sunday, March 11th, with friends here, and attended Mr. Reeves' service at Y. M. C. A.

Mrs. Walter Gee, of Cupar, Sask., after a month's sojourn with relatives and friends in London, Denfield, Toronto, and other places, left for her home on March 9th.

Mr. George W. Reeves, of Toronto, gave the Deaf of this city and vicinity a very interesting talk on the "Prodigal Son," at the Y. M. C. A., on Sunday, March 11th, and the large assemblage were most attentive through out.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Cowan and family spent St. Patrick's Day, March 17th, with Mr. and Mrs. Jontie Henderson in Talbotville.

We all deeply sympathize with Miss Mary Hodgson, on the death of her beloved mother, who left for our Shepherd's fold on February 24th, in the early forenoon of her life—45th year. Mary has a deaf sister and brother, who are now at the Belleville School, who will undoubtedly miss their mother when they come home next June.

A French soldier, who is dumb and deaf, has been awarded a number of medals for bravery and valor—Billy Bryan, the gabby one, has been decorated with the Order of the Empty Belfry.—London Advertiser, March 2d.

Mr. Royal Wright is now coming to the front as a shining bowling exponent. In a recent match between the Marconis and Nationals the latter team won, and our friend, Royal, was the best player on the winning team. He rolled nine strikes and two spares, making a score of 270, thus establishing a record in the present series. For

this he won a gold pin worth \$5. 00. We would suggest that Royal offer this pin as a prize in one of the games at the next convention of the Ontario Association of the Deaf. Surely it would be a drawing card.

## TORONTO.

Are you coming to our seventeenth annual Bible Conference, which opens here on Good Friday, April 6th.

Mr. Howard Lloyd, of Brantford, was in our midst on Sunday, March 18th.

Mr. Arthur E. Cullen, of Hamilton, was in the city for a brief while, on his return trip from a couple of days' visit at his parental home, in Cobourg.

Miss Elsie Garlen returned to our midst again on March 17th, after a week's pleasant sojourn at her former home in Bobcaygeon, most of the time of which she spent with our old friend, Mrs. Stanley Wright, better known as Miss Luella Robinson, whom we are pleased to mention, is doing very well and has a bright and intelligent family of five—three boys and two girls, all adept to our way of conversation.

We are pleased to say that Mr. Geo. Wedderburn, who met with a serious accident a few weeks ago, is now able to resume his work. He has about regained his old time strength and vigor.

We understand that our old friend, Mr. Robert McPherson, of Hamilton, is now working for his brother in the boot and shoe trade in Brantford, and seems to like it fine. His brother has a few other branches in different parts of the Province, and is receiving a liberal measure of prosperity.

The meetings called to discuss convention matter did not decide on any definite plan, pending further developments. Only suggestions were discussed, and some came vigorously under the flail and others received milder consideration, but of course we hope to give more information one way or the other later, on when the cat is allowed out of the bag that holds it in suspense. The treasurer, Mr. Chas. A. Ryan, of Woodstock, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Roberts from Friday evening, March 16th, until the following Sunday evening, when he left on the 6 P.M., G. T. R. flier Mr. Nurse, of Belleville, the Secretary, also came up, on March 16th, and was the guest of President and Mrs. George W. Reeves until his departure the following Monday morning, on the 9:15 A.M. C. P. R. Limited. Mr. Nurse gave a very interesting address at our Church Sunday afternoon to an unusual large turnout.

We are sorry to report that Miss Curtis is in the General Hospital at present, suffering from an attack of tonsillitis and a general break down, but trust she will speedily recover and be among us again.

Private Frank Hayward, brother of Mrs. Edward Ball, of Detroit, has arrived safely in England with a Canadian Battalion and may be in the trenches very soon. We hope he comes safely through this terrible conflict, and returns as one of our National heroes.

We hear that our friend, Mr. Eli Corbieri, of Aurora, is progressing favorably after his recent serious indisposition, but it may be some time before he can resume his work.

He may not be able to come to our Bible Conference this time, as he has always done so in the past, but Mrs. Corbieri, as well as Mr. F. A. West and Mr. Herbert McKenzie will likely be Aurora's delegation. Messrs. A. C. Shepherd, W. C. Mackay, H. E. Grooms, F. G. Doyle, E. H. Cuddy and H. W. Roberts of the post office, were all successful in passing their recent examinations, which they wrote on last January on Postal Laws and Regulations of the Civil Service of Canada.

## LONDON

While on his way from Flint, Mich., to Buffalo, N. Y., William Howard Taft stopped here for an hour, on March 3d, and, during this brief spell, a number of our deaf friends had the pleasure of meeting the former Chief-Magistrate of the United States, who said his country was ready to enter the war on the side of the Allies, and all applauded vigorously.

Some of our friends may attend the Bible Conference, in Toronto, on Easter. We are all pleased to hear that our friend, Mr. F. Bridgen, is recovering from his recent serious illness.

Mr. R. J. R. Shortill, B. S. A., assistant Minister of Agriculture for Ontario, while lecturing in this city lately was pleased to meet a number of our boys, to whom he spoke on farming industry.

Mr. Isaac Cornford spent St. Patrick's Day, March 17th, with friends in Ingersoll, and reports a pleasant time.

We expect Mr. Philip Fraser, of Toronto, here for our Sunday Services on April 15th, and we hope to have a good turnout to greet him.

## I. O. U.

Gold and copper bells served as money among the people of Mexico and Central America before the time of the American Indian. The gold bells of Costa Rica are exquisite examples of metal work; many of them are modeled in the form of birds, monkeys and grotesque heads.



Street, every Sunday at 3:30 P.M. Sunday School at 2:30 P.M. Week day meetings every Thursday evening at eight o'clock, except during July and August. Holy Communion first Sunday



## FANWOOD.

The twenty-first of the month was not unwelcome. It was the date of a buoyancy of the spirit and a closer observation to nature, followed up by an ambition for new suits and Easter hats.

For some time Principal Currier has suffered keenly the effects of a severe cold encountered last month. He has found very little relief in the city here, so upon his physician's advice he left with Mrs. Currier on Monday, March 19th, for Atlantic City, N. J., hoping to recuperate in the bracing air of the sea shore. We all hope to see him well and looking finer than ever soon.

The fourth Saturday of the month dates another of the many pleasant school reunions held this year. The committee on care and arrangement was assisted by a number of teachers who were present, and with whose help and guidance the boys and girls indulged in many pleasant pastimes. The unusual absence of Principal and Mrs. Currier evoked disappointment among the little ones, as well as the older pupils. Principal and Mrs. Currier have always furnished the brightest sunshine with their never-ending smiles and greetings. Aside from a number of games, dancing and conversation lent abundant pleasure for those present in the girls' study, where the older pupils held domain. Misses Elsie Grossmann and Elsie Luf, who graduated last year, attended by invitation. They spent a happy evening mingling with old school friends. Major Van Tassel and Dr. Fox supervised the affair in place of Principal Currier.

Sunday morning, afternoon, and evening chapel services were preached by Professor Bjorlee, who spoke on the life of King David, author of the Psalms. A beautiful illustration of his life was given in the morning, followed in the afternoon by a most charming treatise, vividly describing the meaning of the Twenty-third Psalm. In the evening the story, "Just David," was a worthy example of humanity and much enjoyed by the pupils. Mrs. Bjorlee accompanied her husband and sat among the audience.

Sunday being an elegant Spring afternoon, a very large gathering of admiring spectators lined the entrance grounds and boundaries of the Institution, to witness the military review and Sunday dress parade of the cadets. Major Van Tassel was the senior officer present and reviewed the cadets under command of Captain Alender. The members of the cadet officers' school held their weekly drill, now consisting of squad and platoon formations, since they have been organized into a cadet company.

Of the many weekly visitors interested in the teaching here, the Misses Shoemaker, of the Providence, R. I., School for the Deaf, and Briggs of the Teacher's College, N. Y., gave special attention to the system at different dates during the week. The study of the oral work of the pupils has always received considerable favor with visitors.

Miss Caroline A. Bogart of the art department has been showing some oil sketches made by her artist friend, Mr. Judy, of the Brooklyn Museum of Arts and Sciences, to her pupils of the advanced classes. They are delightful, crisp little touches of nature, in brilliant coloring.

Parties have been quite numerous as usual. Cadet Lieutenant August Herdtfelder is the most recent attendant to a happy function held near his home.

Saturday was a day of home-going and visiting for most of the pupils. A number of the older boys saw the Triangle Picture of William S. Hart, in "The Gun Fighter."

Life is one sweet joy for the majority of the boys in these days of war and base-ball. When not discussing the latest print reports, bats, balls and gloves are handled freely as the first real practice play begins. An ever increasing number of recruits is constantly showing up, as possible candidates for the senior and junior nines, and Manager Margraf is busily sorting out the best. To lumber down the "canky" fibres of the right fore and upper arm, and to train the eye to be accurate, is the personal business of those engaged in the national sport, and they can be seen every day between recess probably overworking.

As soon as the teams are properly formed, a schedule will be arranged which promises much entertainment for all those anticipating a stay on the home grounds this season.

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## NEWBURGH, N. Y.

Mr. William Ogle died suddenly the first of March, of a stroke, in Fostertown, where he bought a farm eight years ago. He had been in failing health for three years, but his death was sudden and a shock to his relatives. His funeral took place from his sister's, Mrs. Mary Kilpatrick, residence, in Newburgh, Sunday afternoon, March 4th inst., and was largely attended by relatives and friends. He was buried beside his father in St. George Cemetery. The deaf-mutes who attended the funeral included Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Orman, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Linderman, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jonkonoza, Mr. and Mrs. E. Wygant, Misses Agnes Russell, Maud Grant, Rose Robinson, Messrs. John Quinlan, Lones, Robinson. Mr. W. Ogle is survived by two deaf sisters, Lizzie and Katie, two deaf brothers, Robert and James, a hearing sister, Mrs. Mary Kiltpatrick, and a brother, Joseph.

Recently the death of Miss Ella Wilson occurred, a one-time pupil at Fanwood, who was transferred to the Alms House in Newburgh, having no relatives. She died of a cancer. She was a great favorite of the Superintendent and his wife at the Alms House, who treated her like a daughter and feel their loss deeply. They had her buried in their family plot in Woodlawn Cemetery.

Mr. John Quinlan and Mr. C. Hagy were thrown out of work, owing to the shop of Bradley Axe Company having been entirely destroyed by fire a couple of weeks ago, in New Windsor. Mr. Quinlan will be a gentleman of leisure until a dandy job turns up for him.

An amusing accident befell Mrs. Thomas Orman. One night in company with a friend, on the way to the movies, she saw a box in the way on the street. Thinking it was a paper hat box, from all appearances it looked so, she went for it to kick it out of the way. Horror of horrors, it was a real heavy iron box. She has been nursing and doctoring her toes since.

Katherine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Linderman, whose engagement was recently announced, fell a victim to the grip, which was almost developing into pneumonia, but owing to the skill of Dr. Harlan Page, it was checked in time.

Miss Agnes Russell has been always in love with St. Patrick, although of a different faith, so Saturday morning, in company with a few girls whom she works with at the shop of Sweet-Orr Company, went to New York to celebrate St. Patrick's Day and take in the sight seeing of the parade. They spent the night at Astor Hotel. Sunday before noon she took the girls, which included two, the rest went somewhere else, to Brooklyn to call on Mrs. Buckley, and in the evening, took an early train for home. She presented the writer with a nice green silk flag, by no means yards long, simply only half a yard.

Mr. Frank Linderman goes to Cold Spring monthly, to see after the house which owns, and to collect his rent. His son contemplates going to Ohio. He is a good engineer, and is going out there for good.

Mr. Charles Keiserwetter has gone into a business of his own in Cold Spring, and recently bought a painter shop, and says business is progressing with him and will have lots of work to do this spring and summer.

Miss Rose Robinson will soon take a trip to New York, in company with her sister, to visit relatives, as she needs a much rest; she works steadily in a silk mill here, and she is contemplating visiting dear old Fanwood.

The deaf of Newburgh send congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. James Malone, upon the birth of a son. They are well known here, Mrs. Malone being a native of Newburgh, and since her marriage comes to spend the summer with her parents. OLD TIMER.

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REV. G. H. HEFFLON, Minister.  
WINTER, 1917.

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Waterbury—St. John's Church, Parish House, third Sunday, at 7 P. M.  
Pittsfield, Mass.—St. Stephen's Church, first Sundays of month, at 3:30 P. M.  
Springfield, Mass.—Christ Church, first Sundays, at 7:30 P. M.

During Lent special services will be announced.  
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Men's Club—Third Tuesday of each month, 8 P. M.

### Rev. J. R. Attabough's Appointments.

(11825 Detroit Ave., Lakewood, Ohio.)

MARCH  
APRIL

1—Toledo, 11:00 A. M. (Holy Communion). Detroit (St. John's Chapel), 4:30 P. M. Baptism and Preparation for Confirmation: 7:30 P. M. Confirmation and Holy Communion.  
2—Grand Rapids (St. Mark's Chapel), 7:30 P. M.  
3—Toledo (Trinity), 7:30 P. M. Confirmation. (Note: appointment for Kalamazoo cancelled.)

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Second Sunday, Evening Prayer and Sermon, 8:15 P. M.  
Third Sunday, Evening Prayer and Sermon, 8:15 P. M.  
Fourth Sunday, Litany, or Ante-Communion and Sermon, 8:15 P. M.  
Fifth Sunday, Ante-Communion and Catechism, 8:15 P. M.

Bible Class Meetings, every Sunday except the first, 4:30 P. M.  
Guild and other Meetings, every Friday, except during July and August, 8 P. M.  
Frederick—St. Paul's Mission, All Saints' Church, Second Sunday, 11 A. M.  
Hagerstown—St. Thomas' Mission, St. John's Church, Second Sunday, 8 P. M.  
Cumberland—St. Timothy's Mission, Emmanuel Church, Second Sunday, 8 P. M.  
Other Places by Appointment.

## AN ORIENTAL NOVELTY

## JAPANESE CELESTIAL COSTUME PARTY

## Xavier Ephpheta Society

(Relief Fund Benefit)  
Xavier Parish School Hall  
West 17th St., Sixth and Seventh Aves.

### Easter Thursday, April 12th.

3—Prizes Fan-Tan Card Game—3  
Prizes Japanese Lady Costumes 3 Prizes Chinese Male Costumes

Prettiest—Funniest—Unique  
Fan Tan—Chop-Sticks—Melican Man  
Tom-Tom—Pitt-Sing Dance

HILUNG CLEARUP SCHMIDT, Grand Vizier.

## SATURDAY

## May 12th

## V. B. G. A. A.

### A DRAMATIC READING

OF THE PLAY  
"The Old Homestead"

WILL BE GIVEN BY  
MR. LOUIS A. COHEN

under the auspices of the  
Lutheran Guild of the Deaf

On Saturday, April 28, at 8 p. m.

Parish House of Lutheran Church  
625 Bushwick Avenue  
One block from Myrtle Ave. and Broadway Stations, Brooklyn

Admission, 15 Cents

## TENTATIVE PROGRAM OF THE TWENTY-FIRST MEETING OF THE CONVENTION OF AMERICAN INSTRUCTORS OF THE DEAF.

AMERICAN SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF  
HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT

Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday, Tuesday,  
June 29, 30, July 1, 2, 3, 1917

FRIDAY, JUNE 29

### GENERAL SESSION

Opening of Convention . . . . .  
DR. EDWARD M. GALLAUDET  
Address of Welcome . . . . .  
Response . . . . . DR. N. F. WALKER

### KINDERGARTEN SECTION

MRS. A. RENO MARGULIES, Chairman  
Friday morning, June 29

Paper: "Some Recent Education Experiments and their Relation to Schools for the Deaf," MRS. A. RENO MARGULIES.

Discussion.  
aPaper: "The Reconstructed Kindergarten" (Illustrated), MISS PATTY HILL, Director, Department of Kindergarten Education, Teachers' College, Columbia University.

Discussion.  
Paper: "Montessori Education Continued in Elementary Grades" (with demonstration of Dr. Montessori's new material for children from 6 to 9 years of age), MISS BERTHA CHAPMAN, Director, Elementary Department, Montessori School, Washington, D. C.

Discussion.  
General Discussion of Kindergarten Questions, in charge of Chairman of Section.

Daily illustration of rhythm work with very young children in class-room, by pupils of MRS. MARGULIES.

Daily Demonstration of Beginning Work, by pupils of Rhode Island School, directed by Mrs. E. G. HURD. (a) Development through Montessori Method Applied; (b) Method of Communication; (c) First Efforts at Expression; (d) Development of Voice, Tone Work, MISS THOMASON; (e) First Articulate Speech and Language.

Industrial Section  
DR. WARREN ROBINSON, Chairman  
Friday afternoon, July 29.

Address: MR. SAMUEL GOMPERS, President of the American Federation of Labor.

Paper: "Discussion of the Results of Agricultural Instruction in the Schools for the Deaf in the United States and Canada," SUPP. E. MCKAY GOODWIN.

Discussion.  
Paper: "Agriculture and the Deaf; Statistics, Opinions, and Suggestions by the Deaf of the Country," DR. WARREN ROBINSON.

Discussion.  
Paper: "What Part is the Deaf Woman to play in the Agricultural Movement among the Deaf?" MISS ELIZABETH DE LONG.

Discussion.  
General Discussion of Industrial Topics. Joint Agricultural Exhibit by the Schools and the Deaf of the Nation.

Friday evening, June 29.  
Reception by PRINCIPAL AND MRS. WHEELER.

GENERAL SESSION

Normal Section  
MISS SARAH HARVEY PORTER, Chairman

Saturday morning, June 30  
Address: DR. JOHN DEWEY, Columbia University.

Paper: "Language Teaching," DR. S. G. DAVIDSON.

Discussion.  
Paper: "Number Work," MRS. T. F. DRISCOLL.

Discussion.  
Paper: "The Training of Teachers of the Deaf," DR. A. L. E. CROUTER.

Discussion.  
Lectures on Normal Training, MR. A. J. WINNETT, Director, Department for Training Teachers of the Deaf, Milwaukee State Normal School.

Number work, illustrated daily by MRS. DRISCOLL, with pupils of the Hartford School.

Art Section  
MRS. O. A. BETTS, Chairman  
Saturday afternoon, June 30

Address:—  
Discussion.  
Paper: "Gallaudet College and Vocational Training," DR. CHARLES R. ELY, Professor of Natural Science, Gallaudet College.

Discussion.  
Paper: "Art as a Means of Education," MISS HELEN E. CLAVES.

Discussion.  
Paper: "Physical Education for the Deaf," MISS HANNAH LUCAS MATHEWS.

Saturday Evening, June 30  
Dancing in Gymnasium  
Sunday July 1  
Sermon for the Deaf, by Rev. J. H. CLOUD, D. D.

Paper: "Religious Training," REV. UTTEN E. READ.  
Discussion.

Paper: "Ethical Training," MR. J. A. MCFARLANE.  
Discussion.

Paper: "Training in Manners," MISS PAULINE JONES.  
Discussion.

Sermon by Hartford minister on lawn in evening.

Auricular Section.  
MISS PATTIE THOMASON, Chairman  
Monday morning, July 2.

Discussion.  
Paper: "History of Auricular Work in the New York Institution," MR. E. H. CURRIER.

Discussion.  
Demonstration by Pupils of the N. Y. Institution in charge of Miss Amelia E. Berry.

Paper: "The Partially Deaf Child—A School Problem," MR. JOHN D. WRIGHT.  
Discussion.

Paper: "The Preservation of Hearing in Children," DR. HAROLD HAYS.  
Round Table Discussion.

The Possibilities of Instrumental Music for the Deaf will be demonstrated by the Fanwood Military Band. There will also be exhibition drills by the Fanwood Cadets.

Topics, "Questions from the Question Box."  
Monday afternoon, July 2.

Report of Treasurer and Executive Committee.  
Election of Officers.

Monday Evening, July 2.  
Moving Picture Exhibition in the Chapel. Entertainment by members of the Convention.

Oral Section  
PRINCIPAL E. C. GRUVER, Chairman  
Tuesday morning, July 3

Paper: "A Plan for Measuring the Improvement of the Speech of Deaf Children," DR. HARRIS TAYLOR.  
Discussion.

Paper: "Suggestions for Improving the Quality of the Voice," Demonstration; Class-Room Exercises for Voice Development; Inflection, MISS PATTIE THOMASON.  
Discussion.

Paper: "Education and Development of Oma Simpson," Illustrated by OMA SIMPSON, a deaf-blind pupil, MISS SOPHIA ALCON.

Discussion.  
General daily practice work by pupils of the Hartford School.

THE CONVENTION OF THE AMERICAN INSTRUCTORS OF THE DEAF.

The 21st Convention of the American Instructors of the Deaf will be held in Hartford next summer, from June 29th to July 3d. July 4th will be the Great Celebration Day when all Associations of and for the Deaf will unite in making the day a memorable one.

As we are unable to furnish board and lodging as has been customary at previous Conventions of the American Instructors of the Deaf, we are contemplating serving lunch at a reasonable price from Friday, June 29 until Tuesday, July 3 from 12 to 2 o'clock.

Rooms will be available at the hotels listed below. Those wishing to engage rooms in boarding houses will please write to F. R. Wheeler, Principal, American School for the Deaf, for information.

Hotel Bond, 320 Asylum Avenue—Single rooms with bath, \$2, \$2.50 and up. Double rooms with bath, \$3, \$3.50 and up.

Hotel Bond Annex, Corner High and Church Streets—Single rooms without bath, \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50 and up. Double rooms without bath \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50, and up.

Allyn House, 162 Asylum Street—Single rooms \$1.50 and up. Double rooms \$3 and up.

Heublin Hotel, 98 Wells Street—Double rooms \$3 and up.

Hotel Garde, 366 Asylum Street—Single rooms \$1 and up. Double rooms \$2 and up.

Hotel Hartford, High and Allen Streets—Single rooms \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50, \$4, \$5, \$6, \$7, \$8, \$9, \$10, \$11, \$12, \$13, \$14, \$15, \$16, \$17, \$18, \$19, \$20, \$21, \$22, \$23, \$24, \$25, \$26, \$27, \$28, \$29, \$30, \$31, \$32, \$33, \$34, \$35, \$36, \$37, \$38, \$39, \$40, \$41, \$42, \$43, \$44, \$45, \$46, \$47, \$48, \$49, \$50, \$51, \$52, \$53, \$54, \$55, \$56, \$57, \$58, \$59, \$60, \$61, \$62, \$63, \$64, \$65, \$66, \$67, \$68, \$69, \$70, \$71, \$72, \$73, \$74, \$75, \$76, \$77, \$78, \$79, \$80, \$81, \$82, \$83, \$84, \$85, \$86, \$87, \$88, \$89, \$90, \$91, \$92, \$93, \$94, \$95, \$96, \$97, \$98, \$99, \$100, \$101, \$102, \$103, \$104, \$105, \$106, \$107, \$108, \$109, \$110, \$111, \$112, \$113, \$114, \$115, \$116, \$117, \$118, \$119, \$120, \$121, \$122, \$123, \$124, \$125, \$126, \$127, \$128, \$129, \$130, \$131, \$132, \$133, \$134, \$135, \$136, \$137, \$138, \$139, \$140, \$141, \$142, \$143, \$144, \$145, \$146, \$147, \$148, \$149, \$150, \$151, \$152, \$153, \$154, \$155, \$156, \$157, \$158, \$159, \$160, \$161, \$162, \$163, \$164, \$165, \$166, \$167, \$168, \$169, \$170, \$171, \$172, \$173, \$174, \$175, \$176, \$177, \$178, \$179, \$180, \$181, \$182, \$183, \$184, \$185, \$186, \$187, \$188, \$189, \$190, \$191, \$192, \$193, \$194, \$195, \$196, \$197, \$198, \$199, \$200, \$201, \$202, \$203, \$204, \$205, \$206, \$207, \$208, \$209, \$210, \$211, \$212, \$213, \$214, \$215, \$216, \$217, \$218, \$219, \$220, \$221, \$222, \$223, \$224, \$225, \$226, \$227, \$228, \$229, \$230, \$231, \$232, \$233, \$234, \$235, \$236, \$237, \$238, \$239, \$240, \$241, \$242, \$243, \$244, \$245, \$246, \$247, \$248, \$249, \$250, \$251, \$252, \$253, \$254, \$255, \$256, \$257, \$258, \$259, \$260, \$261, \$262, \$263, \$264, \$265, \$266, \$267, \$268, \$269, \$270, \$271, \$272, \$273, \$274, \$275, \$276, \$277, \$278, \$279, \$280, \$281, \$282, \$283, \$284, \$285, \$286, \$287, \$288, \$289, \$290, \$291, \$292, \$293, \$294, \$295, \$296, \$297, \$298, \$299, \$300, \$301, \$302, \$303, \$304, \$305, \$306, \$307, \$308, \$309, \$310, \$311, \$312, \$313, \$314, \$315, \$316, \$317, \$318, \$319, \$320, \$321, \$322, \$323, \$324, \$325, \$326, \$327, \$328, \$329, \$330, \$331, \$332, \$333, \$334, \$335, \$336, \$337, \$338, \$339, \$340, \$341, \$342, \$343, \$344, \$345, \$346, \$347, \$348, \$349, \$350, \$351, \$352, \$353, \$354, \$355, \$356, \$357, \$358, \$359, \$360, \$361, \$362, \$363, \$364, \$365, \$366, \$367, \$368, \$369, \$370, \$371, \$372, \$373, \$374, \$375, \$376, \$377, \$378, \$379, \$380, \$381, \$382, \$383, \$384, \$385, \$386, \$387, \$388, \$389, \$390, \$391, \$392, \$393, \$394, \$395, \$396, \$397, \$398, \$399, \$400, \$401, \$402, \$403, \$404, \$405, \$406, \$407, \$408, \$409, \$410, \$411, \$412, \$413, \$414, \$415, \$416, \$417, \$418, \$419, \$420, \$421, \$422, \$423, \$424, \$425, \$426, \$427, \$428, \$429, \$430, \$431, \$432, \$433, \$434, \$435, \$436, \$437, \$438, \$439, \$440, \$441, \$442, \$443, \$444, \$445, \$446, \$447, \$448, \$449, \$450, \$451, \$452, \$453, \$454, \$455, \$456, \$457, \$458, \$459, \$460, \$461, \$462, \$463, \$464, \$465, \$466, \$467, \$468, \$469, \$470, \$471, \$472, \$473, \$474, \$475, \$476, \$477, \$478, \$479, \$480, \$481, \$482, \$483, \$484, \$485, \$486, \$487, \$488, \$489, \$490, \$491, \$492, \$493, \$494, \$495, \$496, \$497, \$498, \$499, \$500, \$501, \$502, \$503, \$504, \$505, \$506, \$507, \$508, \$509, \$510, \$511, \$512, \$513, \$514, \$515, \$516, \$517, \$518, \$519, \$520, \$521, \$522, \$523, \$524, \$525, \$526, \$527, \$528, \$529, \$530, \$531, \$532, \$533, \$534, \$535, \$536, \$537, \$538, \$539, \$540, \$541, \$542, \$543, \$544, \$545, \$546, \$547, \$548, \$549, \$550, \$551, \$552, \$553, \$554, \$555, \$556, \$557, \$558, \$559, \$560, \$561, \$562, \$563, \$564, \$565, \$566, \$567,